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In re Application of:

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**DETECTING MATERIAL FAILURES
IN GROUND LOCATIONS**

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Amendment

In response to the Office Action mailed on 28 November 2003,
please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.